

San Marino, Huntington Library, HM 30957

Description: ff. vii + 199 - Bound, s. XVII, in limp parchment with remains of 2 fore edge ties; title on the spine in a round gothic script "derrotero de la Carrera de las India[s]." - Notes on front cover "SN 118," and on front pastedown, "$SEE" (?). A letter, dated 22 July 1968, on file in the Huntington Library from Dra. Lourdes Díaz-Trechuelo of the Escuela de Estudios Hispano-Americans de Sevilla suggests that this manuscript may have been in the private library of the Marqués de Ayamonte, to whom the book is dedicated. After his death it probably passed into the library of his relative, the Conde-Duque de Olivares, a library consulted by A. León Pinelo for his bibliography published in 1629. - C. W. Dutschke with the assistance of R. H. Rouse et al., Guide to Medieval and Renaissance Manuscripts in the Huntington Library (San Marino, 1989). A. León Pinelo, Epitome de la biblioteca oriental i occidental, nautica i geografica (Madrid 1629) 149. A. González de Barcia Carballido y Zúñiga, ed., Epitome de la Bibliotheca oriental, y occidental, nautica, y geografica de don Antonio de Leon Pinelo (Madrid 1737) 1:1148. N. Antonio, Bibliotheca hispana nova (Madrid 1788) 2:32. M. Fernández de Navarrete, Biblioteca marítima española (Madrid 1851) 2:355.

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Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

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Language: Spanish *Country:* Spain *Century:* 17th

Part 1: ff. 1-199v

Description: - Paper - Croix Latine not dissimilar from Briquet 5688 and 5704, both Perpignan (1596, 1595) - 142 x 195 mm - Collation beginning with f. iv: $1\text{-}7^{20}$ $8\text{-}10^{16}$(through f. 184) 11^{16}(-16, now the pastedown and torn loose from the quire). 20-26 long lines with vertical bounding lines defined by folds in the paper.

Country: Spain

Region:

Assigned Date: s. $XVII^{in}$

Dated by scribe: No

Document: No

Notes: Latin

Number of Texts: 1

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Text 1: ff. v-184; ff. 184v-199v blank

Author: Luis de la Cruz

Title: Capitulo primero de la derrota de la barra De sant lucar a las yslas De canaria, Derrotero

Language(s): Spanish

Incipit: Partiendo de la barra de san lucar

Explicit: nombre de Jesus.

Notes: Sailing instruction for the route from San Lucar, Spain, to the West Indies and Florida, with a description of duties and payment of ship's personnel (ff. 150v-177v) and table of latitudes (ff. 178-184). Dedicatory poem, "Al Capitan Luis de la Cruz Piloto Mayor," at the beginning of the volume indicates that Luis de la Cruz is the author.